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THE STATE ELECTIONS.

DEMOCRATS CARRY NEW YORK STATE BY OVER 40,000.

Russell Re-elected in Massachusetts—McKinley Succeeds in Ohio—The Democratic Candidate Elected in Iowa—Grover Cleveland on the Results.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Rosewell P. Flower, the Democratic candidate, has been elected Governor of New York State by about 40,000 majority. In this city Flower's plurality is 58,857, showing a Democratic falling off of more than 10,000 from the vote for Hill in 1888. The remainder of the Democratic state ticket appears also to have been

elected. The returns received up to 3 yesterday afternoon make the State Legislature a tie on joint ballot. The Democrats have a majority of two in the Assembly, and the Republicans a majority of two in the Senate.

M'KINLEY ELECTED.

CINCINNATI, Nov. 5.—The chairman of the Republican State Committee claims that McKinley's plurality will be 22,000; Legislature, 36 Democrats, 68 Republicans in the House; 13 Democrats and 18 Republicans in the Senate.

Latest reports would indicate that the Legislature is Republican on joint ballot by a majority of 38. In Hamilton county 166 precincts show a net Democratic gain of 2278, indicating a plurality for McKinley of 5300.

RUSSELL IN MASSACHUSETTS.

BOSTON, Mass., Nov. 5.—Russell, Democrat, for governor has received a plurality of about 5000. The entire Republican state ticket, outside of governor, is elected by ample pluralities. Returns for the legislature are very incomplete. The Senate will be Republican. The House has complete returns from 137 members, a little more than half, and these stand ninety-two Republicans to forty-five Democrats. The executive council will probably stand seven Republicans to one Democrat. Goy. Russell, speaking of his re-election, said: "It means that Massachusetts is earnestly for tariff reform on the line of free raw material, which has been the chief issue in this State. It also means that she is firmly and aggressively for sound currency."

PENNSYLVANIA.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 5.—At 2 a. m. the whole State has been heard from. Gregg, Republican, for auditor-general has 50,833 plurality over Wright, Dem. Morrison, Rep., for state treasurer, has 47,467 plurality over Tilden, Dem. The campaign has been one of the most spirited ever fought in this city. It chiefly turned on the malfeasance and embezzlement of ex-City Treasurer Bardsley, the Democrats urging that the Republicans were unworthy of confidence on that ground, and the Republicans claiming that their skirts were cleared by bringing Bardsley to justice. A heavy vote was polled with little attempt at illegal voting. The city complete gives Gregg, Rep., for auditor-general 102,130; Wright, Dem., 73,625; Republican majority, 28,505.

IOWA.

DES MOINES, Ia., Nov. 5.—Boies is re-elected by less than $10,000. The Legislature is Republican.

KANSAS.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 5.—Election returns from Kansas are coming in very slowly. Nothing has been heard from any country district in the western part of the state. Almost all counties in the eastern portion have made partial returns. Such returns as have been received indicate that the People's Party has lost its prestige. Out of the fifty counties from which returns have been received, six will probably elect a People's Party ticket at greatly reduced pluralities. Other counties will elect straight Republicans and Democratic tickets. As there was no state officer voted for, and on account of the fusion of the Republicans and Democrats, or Democrats and People's Party in many counties, it is impossible to make any satisfactory comparison with the vote of last year.

REPUBLICANS CARRY CHICAGO.

CHICAGO, Nov. 5.—Complete returns from every precinct in Cook county show that the entire Republican ticket was elected yesterday. The Republican candidates for county commissioners in the city district appear to have received a majority varying from 7000 to 14,000. The only Democrat elected was Lyman E. Cooley, drainage trustee, who comes in as a minority representative. The significant feature of the election is that nearly every man indorsed by the "Know-nothing" association appears to have been elected.

MARYLAND.

BALTIMORE, Nov. 5.—Brown's (Dem.) plurality for Governor is over 15,000. The Legislature is, as usual, overwhelmingly Democratic.

COLORADO.

DENVER, Nov. 5.—The returns from the county and state are coming in unusually slow, and it is as yet impossible to give any exact figures of yesterday's election. The Republican county ticket is elected. Judge Helm, Republican, is elected Chief Justice by over 5000.

NEBRASKA.

OMAHA, Nov. 5.—Returns from city and state are still meagre, but careful estimates give Post, Republican, for Supreme Judge, 6000 majority.

SOUTH DAKOTA.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Nov. 5.—Reports from South Dakota show that Jolley, Republican, is elected to Congress by a large plurality.

WHAT CLEVELAND THINKS.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—Ex-President Grover Cleveland gave his opinion of the result of Tuesday's elections as follows: "Any one who still thinks that tariff reform is settled and an obsolete issue, or that the importance of a sound and safe money is a question upon which the people can be blinded, is either willfully wrong or dangerously dull. It seems to me, too, that Democrats ought to be satisfied. A staunch adherence to the principles of their party does not require abuse of those who show an inclination to help us. I very much regret the defeat of Governor Campbell. He has been a brave and honest official. This and the splendid canvass he made entitled him to success. While the election of Flower, Russell and Boies ought to cause the utmost rejoicing among Democrats, they should not forget that with these things comes an obligation to be true to the people, honest in the advocacy of our principles and decent in all things."

ENGLISH OPINION.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—English views of the American election seem almost confined to the result in Ohio. The success of McKinley is looked upon as a distinct grievance in the manufacturing districts, and especially in Bradford and Sheffield, which places have been disastrously affected by the McKinley Act. The defeat of McKinley would have been hailed with delight in Great Britain, and he would probably have figured in some of the Guy Fawkes cremations which are traditional throughout England. His election obscures every other incident of the week in America. In the average English opinion McKinley is an orge actuated by relentless hatred of Great Britain, rather than a desire to benefit the United States, and the Londoners would not be surprised to find his counterfeit among the waxen collection of wicked people that is famous on both continents.

Roasted His Child on a Stove.

LEXINGTON, Va., Nov. 4.—This thriving little settlement of 500 souls has been furnished with one of the most diabolically brutal acts that has ever occurred in this section, an act that has incensed the people and created no little excitement. A babe roasted alive by its drunken father and in the presence of its helpless mother is the cause. The details of the fiendish act as given read like a story of the South Sea Islands. Carl Cummings, a man heretofore bearing a good character, attended an old Virginia court here Monday, and returned home under the influence of whisky. On reaching home he at once became troublesome and attempted to provoke his wife into a quarrel, first by general complaints and then by throwing brandy on the cooking stove when she was preparing supper. Failing in this his anger grew to greater bounds and, snatching the babe from its crib, he placed it on the red hot stove, at the same time drawing a revolver and threatening to kill the helpless woman if she attempted to rescue the child. The child is reported roasted to death, but another report says it is not dead. The man had not been arrested at last accounts. There is some talk of lynching him if caught.

An Oregon Bank Robbery.

LAGRANDE, Or., Nov. 4.—A robbery which exceeded the recent Enterprise affair in the amount taken was perpetrated upon the Farmers' Mortgage & Savings Bank at Summerville, this county, last night. Summerville is a village three miles from the Elgin branch of the Union Pacific and 16 miles north of this city. As the mails reach the village late in the evening and leave early in the morning, it was the custom of H. C. Rhinehart, the cashier of the bank, to attend to his correspondence after supper. As he was leaving the bank about 9 o'clock last evening he was met at the door by two men with sacks over their heads, who pressed pistols to his head and ordered him to go back and open the safe. He stepped back into the room, and they followed him, pulling down the blinds and lighting the lamp. They displayed great coolness, not only taking all the money in the safe, but examining papers as well. The amount taken was $4800. After leaving the bank they went on foot toward the timber. There is much excitement in Summerville this morning, and preparation is being made to institute a thorough search for the robbers, who, it is supposed, are residents of the neighborhood.

MORE BRAZIL TROUBLE.

CONGRESS AND THE PRESIDENT AT VARIANCE.

Da Fonseca Accused of Playing the Dictator—Monarchists Intriguing—Excitement Prevailing in Cork—Parnellites too Violent—Bismarck to Keep Quiet.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The Herald's special from Rio Janeiro, Brazil, says: Recently an attempt has been made to curb the power of the chief executive. The fact that Da Fonseca is a military man has led many to fear, or to pretend to fear, that he might proclaim himself dictator. To prevent any such contingency Congress a short while ago passed a law fixing the process of impeachment of the president. Da Fonseca vetoed the measure. His veto was considered in a heated session, which resulted in the carrying of a motion to over-ride the veto. As soon as this action of the national legislature was made known to Da Fonseca he became very much excited, and thereupon dissolved Congress. His decree to that effect was made public yesterday. Martial law has been proclaimed throughout Rio Janeiro and the other states forming the confederacy. The feeling here is one of great fear. The dissolution of Congress may result in the choice of another president.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 5.—The State Department to-day received a cablegram confirming the press dispatches announcing that martial law has been proclaimed in Brazil. The dispatch gives no details, but those acquainted with Brazilian affairs believe that the monarchial element is at the bottom of the movement to overthrow the present Government.

THE CONTEST IN CORK.

CORK, Nov. 5.—Great excitement prevails here. Both parties are making their final appeals to the voters, and an active contest is in progress. The arrival of two additional companies of soldiery from Dublin indicates how the authorities regard the situation. The police will all be on duty, either on the streets or in the barracks, awaiting the order to go to any place where they may be needed. It is believed that a good proportion of the three thousand Unionist votes will be thrown for the Parnellite candidate, as there is no expectation that Sarsfield can be elected.

QUEENSLAND'S SLAVE TRADE.

SYDNEY, Nov. 5.—The slave trade between Queensland and several of the Polynesian group has been increased during the past year, and it is said that the new Australian squadron, which recently arrived in those waters, will be partly utilized to put down the trade in question. The planters of Queensland claim that Polynesian labor is a necessity in that region, white labor being scarce and the native blacks utterly worthless.

POLISH SECRET SOCIETY.

VIENNA, Nov. 4.—A secret association has been formed among the Poles of Galicia, the object of which is to keep alive the memories of the Polish struggle of about thirty years ago. It is said that the members of this association have resolved to destroy the memorial to the monster Mouravieff, should Russia persist in the intention to erect one at Wilna.

CLOSING BISMARCK'S MOUTH.

BERLIN, Nov. 4.—It is reported that the Kaiser has caused Bismarck to be notified that any attempt to reveal secrets or documents connected with affairs of state during his ministry will be followed with prompt and earnest prosecution. This warning has been given in view of the current statement that Bismarck intends in the Reichstag to present certain evidence as to the cause of his dismissal from the Chancellorship. Bismarck is said to have received the admonition with very ill grace. All his valuable papers save those of a strictly family nature are in London. He retains copies of some of them, however, and it is these copies he proposed to use in the Reichstag.

UNWISE PARNELLITES.

LONDON, Nov. 5.—The course of the Parnellites at Waterford in attacking the National Federation has called out angry protests from several members of their own party, and the more conservative Parnellites are earnestly moving to prevent a struggle in Cork on Friday. The present indications are that their efforts will not meet with success.

Healy in a Bad Way.

DUBLIN, Nov. 4.—Tim Healy is greatly disturbed by the publicity which the story of his whipping has received. He now declares that he throttled McDermott and prevented him from striking. There are plenty of witnesses to the contrary. These witnesses heard at least fifty strokes of the horsewhip as McDermott rained the blows on Healy, while Healy danced and jumped about yelling with pain and calling for some one to help him. Healy must be black and blue all over from McDermott's blows, and it is believed that the real reason he refused to complain against McDermott for the assault was his fear that the whole story would come out in the courts. After the horsewhipping, Healy wept with vexation and pain. He has since been unable to sit down, at least in public.

The Prince of Wales' Anniversary.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The partial burning of Saudringham hall has interfered considerably with the arrangement of the Prince of Wales for his fiftieth birthday, to be celebrated on the 9th of of this month. Therefore workmen are employed night and day bringing the building into habitable condition. It will be sufficiently prepared for the prince to be able to use a portion of it for the entertainment of his friends.

The Cork Election.

CORK, Nov. 4.—The result of the Cork election will not be announced until midnight Saturday, with the view of avoiding the conflicts that might arise from an announcement on the night of the polling. There are 3,000 Unionists voters in Cork, and they do not appear to be settled as to their course in the election.

TRIALS AT OTTAWA.

The Connollys, Larkin and McGreevy in Court.

OTTAWA, Nov. 5.—In the police court yesterday both the Connollys, Hon. T. McGreevy and P. Larkin were charged with defrauding the Government and the Quebec Harbor Commissioners out of certain sums of money. B. B. Osler, with D. O'Connor, of Ottawa, prosecuted, while Mr. Lash appeared for Larkin, and Ferguson, of Ottawa, and Stuart of Quebec, for the Connollys and McGreevy. After some consultation between counsel and magistrate it was decided to remand the defendants until Thursday week on their own recognizances for $1000 each, when evidence would be taken. Mr. Osler wanted the bail fixed at $20,000, but the magistrate refused. The court room was crowded.

Talbot and Dionne, lately of the Public Works Department, and Larose, a merchant of Ottawa, were also charged with defrauding the Public Works Department. It will be remembered that their case was ventilated before the Public Accounts Committee, when it was shown that Talbot and Dionne had purchased goods from Larose for their own use and charged the same to the department on false invoices. Larose got out on $6000 bail, but Talbot and Dionne failed to secure the necessary amount. The case comes up on Wednesday next.

As was expected, Ouimet has accepted a position in the Ministry. This will bring the Chapleau difficulty to a close, as it is said that Chapleau has consented to-day to remain in the Ministry, and will likely be appointed President of the Council. He will also be recognized as leader of the Conservative French-Canadians in the House. Ouimet will probably get the Public Works portfolio, Ives will be Secretary of State, and Lt.-Gov. Angers Minister of Agriculture. Sir Adolphe Caron, in such an event, would become Lieut.-Governor of Quebec. This would give Quebec full representation. Ouimet's appointment, as he is a strong Rielite, will not be viewed with general favor in Ontario. Strong efforts are being made to bring Meredith and Peter White into the Cabinet from Ontario.

SEVENTEEN MINERS KILLED.

A Horrible Accident at the Anaconda Mine on Tuesday Night.

BUTTE, Nov. 4.—At midnight last night, when one shift of men at the Anaconda mine was relieving another, seventeen men were killed by the falling of the cage and two fatally injured. The cage was full of miners returning from work. They stepped out into the open air, and their places were at once taken by nineteen men, who were to take up the work they had just abandoned, and the cage started to the depths below. The rope had been unwound but a couple of times from the slowly revolving windlass, when there was a sudden snap and a cry of horror from the shaft. The rope had broken, and the cage with its nineteen inmates precipitated to the bottom of the mine. It was some little time before assistance could be sent to them. A number of miners who were through work and waiting to be relieved were at the bottom of the shaft waiting for the cage to take them out. Amidst them, narrowly missing some, the cage dashed. Little could be done. Of the nineteen men who made the fearful ride seventeen were dead. Their forms were crushed out of all resemblance to human beings, while the two who were breathing are not expected to recover.

GERMANY AND THE STATES.

Reported Terms of the New Reciprocity Treaty Between the Two Countries.

NEW YORK, Nov. 5.—The Herald's Washington correspondent says: The new treaty between this country and Germany, made under the reciprocity section of the McKinley bill, will probably be announced at the coming meeting of the German Reichstag. The details have been perfected, and the treaty has been made, but the German Minister asked the privilege of making the first formal announcement in Germany. The substantial outlines of the treaty are concessions to this country of the duties conceded to Austria-Hungary by the new treaty with that country. These duties are about one half those charged upon similar products from other countries. Germany makes these concessions in return for the free entry of sugar granted by the reciprocity section of the McKinley Act, and to escape the imposition of the duties over again at the beginning of the new year. The articles upon which the United States will obtain a reduction of duty corresponding to that granted to Austria-Hungary will be wheat, flour, rye and corn. Our exports of these articles to Germany are at present a mere bagatelle, but under the favoring conditions of short crops in Europe there is no reason why they should not become at least as large as the exports of similar articles to Great Britain. The treaty which has been arranged between the two countries is largely due to the refusal of President Harrison to accept the removal of the restrictions on American pork as a fair equivalent for the free market for German sugar which was opened in this country by the McKinley bill. Germany has always insisted that the pork restrictions were imposed for sanitary reasons, and the President pointed out that these reasons were removed by the passage of the inspection acts. If Germany wished to retain the market we offered for her sugar, the President insisted that she should give us some return for it besides an act of common justice to our pork product. He made this so plain that the German Minister yielded the point, and the treaty which is about to be made public resulted.

CANADIAN NOTES.

A Budget of News and Gossip From the Eastern Provinces.

In three months Halifax has lost $4,000,000 by fire.

A fire in the Hochelaga cotton mills, near Montreal, did damage to the amount of $30,000.

One magistrate near London, Ont., has fined the wife of another for cruelty to a domestic servant.

Principal A. P. McKay, of the Halifax High School, has been appointed superintendent of Education for Nova Scotia.

Joseph Kirkwood, Independent, and John Craig, of Fergus, Reformer, were nominated for East Wellington in the Local Legislature.

The Brousseau property on St. Foye road, near Quebec, has been purchased by the Jesuits for $6,000. It is to be converted into a home for aged priests.

Thomas Scully, of Toronto, formerly a well known hotel man, is dead, aged 41. Of late he has been engaged in the business of railway contractors' supplies.

A cablegram from London says that the Canadian-American football players scored a notable victory Monday by defeating Stoke, one of the English League clubs, by two goals to one.

A. B. Chaffee, well known in Montreal railroad circles, is dead. He was for many years treasurer of the Southern Railway, severing his connection with it when it was taken over by the Canadian Pacific Company.

Mr. R. R. Dobel, the well known Quebec lumber merchant, has definitely accepted the nomination as a candidate for the Parliamentary representation of Quebec West, rendered vacant by the expulsion of Mr. Thomas McGreevy.

Miss Sarah Ann Moore, of Little River, Quebec, has just fallen heir to $15,000. Miss Moore was betrothed to an estimable young man named Frank Smith, of Montreal, who died in Boston in July, 1890, bequeathing all his property to her.

About $200,000 has been expended this year for building in Guelph, and about $3500 has been laid out to build silicabarytic stone pavement. Of the private residences built, the two finest are those erected by James Goldie and George Sleeman, at a cost of $40,000 and $30,000 respectively.

Mr. Erastus Wiman was serenaded at Huntsville, Muskoka, on his return from a fortnight's shooting. In reply he made a short but vigorous appeal to young Canadians to love their country and try to secure for it a great destiny, by bringing it into better commercial relations with the rest of the continent.

The proceedings taken by Frank N. Nugent, barrister, of Winnipeg, against Preston, secretary of the Reform Association, for the recovery of $2000 for legal expenses incurred by him (Nugent) in saving Preston from disaster several years ago, have been settled. It is understood Nugent has accepted $250 in payment of his claim.

A car shortage scare has broken out again at Toronto. It does not seem to be so virulent as last fall; but it is bad enough, causing a great deal of inconvenience and loss to grain men. The most congested point seems to be North Bay. Here the cars of grain are allowed to be on the sidings for two, three, or more, weeks, before being sent on to their destination.

At the Winnipeg assizes on Saturday the man Chisholm was found guilty of assaults on little girls, the missing witnesses having been found. On Tuesday he was sentenced to five and two years, the sentences to run concurrently. The prisoner made a speech strongly protesting his innocence. On the application of the counsel for the defendant the Crown cases were reserved for argument before the full court.

There is sojourning at Niagara Falls a man who achieved a great degree of notoriety in his day. His name is E. D. Buck, and the way he sprung into prominence was by being carried across Niagara river on a rope by Blondin, the popular idea at the time and since being that he displayed more intrepidity by the act than the latter. The feat was performed in July, 1859. For many years he has been employed on one of the liners running from New York to Liverpool.

Prairie fires did great damage in Eastern Assiniboia during the early part of last week. At Red Jacket Hector McLean lost a stable, 500 bushels of oats, all his hay and a colt; Angus McDonald lost four hay stacks, and Duncan McDougall lost all his grain. The fire started about one mile east of Wapella. Large fires are reported from Cannington and Fairmede, and in each case quantities of hay were burned. The buildings on the unoccupied farm of Mr. W. A. McCorkell were destroyed.

The Globe's Washington correspondent states that Lord Salisbury would like to see the United States make a reciprocity treaty with Canada and Newfoundland as well as a McKinley convention with the British West Indies and British Guiana, and that he has started out by saying that in any McKinley arrangement between the United States and the West Indies, Canada and Newfoundland shall be put upon the same footing as the United States so far as the enjoyment of reduced duties is concerned.

Editor Martin Butler, of Butler's Journal, Fredricton, N. B., who has been zealously advocating the principles of Canadian independence, a few days ago addressed to Hon. Wilfred Laurier a request for his opinion respecting the subject, and received the following reply from the Liberal leader: "MY DEAR SIR.—I have your favor of yesterday. The subject of national independence is a very large one, and I can see no inclination that the country is at all prepared for it. It is one, however, which it is always well to discuss and not to lose sight of."

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COMING SOUTH. READ UP.	No. 3 Passenger and Sun.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	Miles from Wellington.	No. 2 Passenger and Sun.	No. 4 Passenger Daily.	COMING NORTH. READ DOWN.
	P.M.	A.M.			P.M.	A.M.	
	5.30	10.30	VICTORIA	0	2.30	8.00	
	5.44	10.44	HUMPHREY'S	2	2.16	7.46	
	5.51	10.51	GOLDSTREAM	4	2.09	7.39	
	6.01	11.01	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	9	1.59	7.29	
	6.11	11.11	COBBLE HILL	14	1.49	7.19	
	6.24	11.24	McPHERSON'S	21	1.36	7.06	
	6.40	11.40	KOKSILAH	28	1.20	6.50	
	6.47	11.47	DUNCAN'S	33	1.13	6.43	
	7.12	12.12	CHEMAINUS	44	12.48	6.18	
	7.30	12.30	NANAIMO	56	12.30	5.50	
	8.30	1.30	WELLINGTON	61	11.30	4.50	
	P.M.	A.M.			A.M.	P.M.	

COMING NORTH. READ DOWN.	No. 4 Passenger and Sun.	No. 2 Passenger Daily.	STATIONS.	Miles from Victoria.	No. 3 Passenger and Sun.	No. 1 Passenger Daily.	COMING SOUTH. READ UP.
	P.M.	A.M.			P.M.	A.M.	
	2.30	8.00	VICTORIA	0	5.30	10.30	
	2.44	8.14	HUMPHREY'S	2	5.16	10.16	
	2.51	8.21	GOLDSTREAM	4	5.09	10.09	
	3.01	8.31	SHAWNIGAN LAKE	9	4.59	9.59	
	3.11	8.41	COBBLE HILL	14	4.49	9.49	
	3.24	8.54	McPHERSON'S	21	4.36	9.36	
	3.40	9.10	KOKSILAH	28	4.20	9.20	
	3.47	9.17	DUNCAN'S	33	4.13	9.13	
	4.12	9.42	CHEMAINUS	44	3.48	8.48	
	4.30	10.00	NANAIMO	56	3.30	8.30	
	5.30	11.00	WELLINGTON	61	2.30	7.30	
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THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

A Lengthy Meeting---Water Commissioner Appointed---School Matters.

The regular weekly meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held at the City Hall last evening. Mayor Grant was in the chair with a full board, barring Ald. Hunter, being present. Routine work being completed, Ald. Renouf rose to

A QUESTION OF PRIVILEGE.

He wished to reply to a communication in the morning paper relative to the Old People's Home, which had evidently been inspired by an item in the same paper. He would say as chairman of the committee, that it had nothing to do with the matter, and was in no way responsible for the funds already collected.

Mayor Grant explained that the matter was in his hands, and was receiving the attention it required. Mr. Teague had offered to prepare plans and superintend the construction of the proposed home. The Mayor said he had experienced no difficulty in getting funds promised for the work. In fact, $10,000 had been already promised, and the building would be erected on the land kindly donated by Mr. R. P. Rithet. Two donations, one of $500 and one of $700 was already in the Mayor's hands ready to be placed to the credit of the Home whenever the preliminaries were completed. The idea of the Home was one of the Mayor's origination, and he had at all times striven to perfect his idea. The critical correspondent to the papers could rest assured that the funds were all right.

Ald. Smith said that he had an idea that the communication was one written by an inmate of the Home.

The Mayor did not care who wrote it, but would say that anyone, no matter who, who writes anything under an assumed name, was a coward behind the fence, except in abstract questions. When a man attacks another, either public or private, behind an assumed name he did not care a snap for that man, as he was a cowardly foe, too despicable to meet in fair fight. There had been a good deal of that sort of thing in the papers lately.

The business of the meeting was then gone on with, Clerk Dowler reading

COMMUNICATIONS

From R. P. Rithet & Co., Ltd., regarding the purchase of several tons of water pipe, some of which had been cut, but were perfect otherwise.—Referred to water committee with power to act.

From J. McGregor, asking for a sidewalk on Maclure street.—Referred to street committee.

From James Parsons, objecting to charges for water.—Referred to water committee.

From Thomas Hendry, complaining that Pleasant street was blocked by lumber from Leigh & Son's mill.—Referred to police committee with power to act.

From the Marine Department, stating that it was the intention to place an electric light on Brotchie Ledge buoy and asking the city to name a price for which it would lay the cable and supply the light.—To be informed that the city was not in the position to do so.

From Allan S. Dumbleton, complaining of the bad state of upper Belcher street.—Referred to street committe with power to act.

QUESTION OF WAGES AND BOSSES.

From Gilbert Clayton-East, stating that he had acted as city clerk for six weeks during Mr. Dowler's absence, and asking that a sum of $50 be given him for his extra services.

Ald. Smith and Robertson were not aware that Mr. East had acted as city clerk. Mr. Smith and Mr. Partridge had been present at the board meetings during Mr. Dowler's absence.

The Mayor thought that Mr. East had considerable extra office work thrown on him while Mr. Dowler was away.

Ald. McKillican thought Mr. East's salary had been ample. His hours of labor were short, and his pay had been much more than he, Ald. McKillican, would have paid.

On motion the matter was referred to the hall committee for report.

From M. de Lopatecki, applying for the vacant position in the city clerk's office.

A suggestion to refer this application to the hall committee was met by a question from Ald. Renouf, who asked if the hall committee had power to hire and discharge all city hall employees outside of those appointed by by-law.

Ald. McKillican said a time honored custom placed the power in their hands, but the committee were quite willing to let some one else do the business.

The Mayor explained that no municipal officer could be suspended or discharged between sittings of the council by any one but the Mayor, except in such cases where power to act had been given.

The Mayor, in answer to Ald. Renouf, said that it had in the past been customary to allow the hall committee to deal with inferior city office employees.

From F. J. Sehl, applying for a position in any of the city hall offices.—Referred to hall committee.

OTHER MATTERS.

From Eberts & Taylor, stating that two rights of way had been deeded to the city for $750, and asking that a check for the amount be forwarded.—Referred to sewerage committee.

From Eberts & Taylor, stating that several ordered by-laws had not yet been prepared, owing to a press of business, and asking for an extension of time.—Granted.

SCHOOL TROUBLES.

From J. H. McLaughlin, D. W. Morrow and F. G. Richards, jr., enclosing resolutions which had been presented to the school board and defeated by vote of the chairman, said resolutions being in effect a vote of want of confidence in the chairman of the school board. The petitioners letter was as follows:

"That the Chairman believes in the exercise of the unwarrantable power ascribed to him above; and in the curtailing of the powers, usefulness, and dignity of the Trustee Board; and that he endeavors to justify his own act, as expressed above, is evident from the defeat of the following resolution and the adoption of the following amendment by his own casting vote:—

Resolution: "That inasmuch as the wishes of this Board, as embodied in a resolution passed at a meeting of this Board on the 21st of October last, have not been carried out, Resolved, That the Principal of the Boys' School proceed forwith to carry out the wishes of the Board as contained in said resolution.

Amendment: (Carried by casting vote.) "That the instructions already given by resolution of 21st of October, 1891, to the Principal of the Boys' School be cancelled."

In view of the above facts, and in view of the fact that the document from the Council of Public Instruction on which the Chairman founded his first action as expressed above, had not been presented to the Board, and on which we were therefore afforded no opportunity of amending or reconsidering our decisions,

We therefore respectfully beg to represent to your honorable body that we can no longer act in harmony with the present Chairman of the Trustee Board, and except a new Chairman be appointed, our usefulness as Trustees would avail little.

(Owing to newspaper reports, which were evidently prepared lately for a purpose, to leave an impression on the public that the Board meetings were of a disorderly nature, we hereby beg to incidentally inform you that heretofore the meetings of the Board have been of a uniformly gentlemanly and orderly character, and the only expressions bordering on an injudicious nature emanated from the Chair.)

Considerable discussion ensued, it being closed by voting that a special meeting be called to deal with the matter on Monday evening next, at which the school trustees who were appointed by the city will be invited to be present.

From a large number of Oak Bay district residents, asking for a sidewalk.—Referred to street committee.

From residents of Regent's Park, asking that a thoroughfare be repaired.—Referred to street committee.

PETITIONS.

From J. Clearihue and Geo. Phillips, stating that Cedar Hill road was not the width it should be, and asking that the matter be looked to.—Referred to city surveyor for report.

NOTICE OF MOTION.

Ald. Holland gave notice that he should at the next meeting of the board ask leave to introduce a by-law to provide for the regulation of the public market.

ACCOUNTS

For the month of October amounting to $5740.25 were passed for payment if correct.

REPORTS.

From the street committee, recommending that several matters of street work be attended to. The report included a recommendation to temporarily fix up the View street drain, and that to lay a stone drain would cost over $3,000.—Report adopted.

In connection with this the Mayor pointed out that the board were badly hampered in this sort of work. It was necessary to have the View street drain made good, but the board had no power to expend the money to fix it. He thought that the board should be allowed to use its judgment in these cases, as the members of the Provincial Government were. The board was hampered and compelled to throw away sums of money in a vain effort to cobble up a bad bit of work which should be thoroughly repaired.

From the Superintendent of Police, detailing the past month's work of the force.—Adopted.

From the fire wardens, reporting that an investigation into the charges against the department had been found unfounded. That the purchase of a chemical fire engine and fire boat had received the attention of the committee, but they could not now recommend the purchase of either. That the department be furnished with ropes, and that the police be instructed to stretch such ropes at fires to keep out the crowd.—Adopted.

From Chief Engineer Deasy, as follows:

SIRS:—Since the recent fires in this city considerable controversy took place in the local newspapers regarding the efficiency of the fire department. The fire losses during my term of four years is a sufficient answer to the charges made; but I consider it my duty to call the attention of your honorable body to the following facts in connection with the fire service of this city:

1. We have only 103 hydrants, Victoria West, with hundreds of houses, has no protection. In various other portions of the city we cannot find water, and valuable property is in danger.

2. We have one team of horses for three fire engines. The apparatus is all in one section of the city, and it would take many minutes to reach outside boxes.

3. Seven permanent men, all drivers and engineers, eighteen call men, and three foremen with the assistant and chief, comprise the working force of the fire department.

4. We have only two hose carts in service. The drivers and engineers are on duty 24 hours every day and 30 days every month.

5. The call system is not as good as a permanent paid system, but it must be remembered that the cost of a permanent paid department would amount to over $25,000 per year for salaries alone. At present the fire department costs $19,000 per year, including salaries, repairs, keep of horses, hydrants, purchase of hose and apparatus, fuel, lighting, etc. The pay-roll alone of the Seattle fire department amounts to $85,000 per year. The Tacoma fire department costs $10,000 per year.

6. One alarm bell is insufficient in a city with a call department. The firemen are all working away from the houses, and at times cannot distinguish between city clock and the fire bell.

7. The firemen should be provided with badges, and some means should be taken to keep the streets clear.

The purchase of a chemical engine was recommended two years ago.

I would respectfully recommend the placing of a number of new hydrants throughout the city, and that some steps be taken to place some of the apparatus in the outskirts. More men are required, but it will be impossible to go to any extra expense this year. Considering the estimated expenditure will only cover the cost of running the department until Dec. 31st next, I would respectfully recommend the placing of hydrants in localities mentioned in a former report. I have the honor to be, Sir, your obedient servant,

THOS. DEASY,
Chief Engineer, V.F.D.

Referred to fire wardens.

From the market committee, recommending that tenders be called for the electric lighting of the new building; that sidewalks be laid.—Adopted.

LAID OVER.

The new allotment of wards by-law was again laid over

UNIVERSITY BY-LAW.

Ald. Richards asked leave to introduce a by-law to borrow a sum of $50,000 for university purposes.—Leave granted and read a first time.

LIGHTS FOR A BALL.

Ald. McKillican asked that the matter of placing of electric lights in the assembly rooms be left to the electric light committee.—So ordered.

NEED REVISING.

The Mayor pointed out that the city by-laws needed a complete revision by a trained legal man. Several errors in the letter-press also existed. The by-laws should also be compared with the new statutes.

SPECIAL CHARTER.

It being suggested that the city would be the better for a special charter, the Mayor said that unless every city in the province had a general charter the scheme would hardly work, as it would involve almost continuous litigation, as each section of the charter would require a separate law suit before it was rightly interpreted and settled.

MORE LIGHT.

Ald. McKillican asked that the electric light committee be empowered to employ an extra hand to help attend to the city lights during the winter months.—Committee empowered to employ an assistant for the lamp trimmer.

WATER COMMISSIONER.

Ald. Robertson moved and Ald. Renouf seconded, that a water commissioner be appointed at once. The matter had been left in abeyance for some time, and should be attended to.

The Mayor thought that a thoroughly competent man should be appointed.

Ald. Smith said that Mr. Lynn, who was a civil engineer, had applied for the position, and had agreed to attend to the work until the end of the year for an advance of $25 per month on his present wages.

Ald. Coughlan thought one superintending engineer should have control over all the engineering work of the city. His idea was to reduce the expenses of the city by this means.

Ald. Renouf thought that if Mr. Lynn was appointed for the rest of the year the city would save money.

Ald. Smith moved and Ald. Renouf seconded, that Mr. Lynn be appointed water commissioner, pro tem., at an increase of his present salary of $25 per month.

It was shown that in strict accordance with the rules of order a water commissioner could not be appointed without certain formalities, but Mr. Lynn could be asked to act pending this.

Ald. Renouf then moved and Ald. Holland seconded, that Mr. Summerfield be informed that his services were no longer required by the board, coupled with a resolution conveying the regrets of the board at losing his services.—Carried.

Ald. Smith moved and Ald. Renouf seconded, that Mr. Lynn be requested to fill the position of water commissioner, pro tem.—Carried.

The board then adjourned, it being 10:45 p.m.

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The customs duties collected at the four ports of the province during the month of November were as follows:

Victoria	$101,268 53
New Westminster	34,253 86
Vancouver	24,716 29
Nanaimo	6,637 77

There is a good deal said about municipal taxation these days but it is a small affair compared with the monthly levy as recorded above. Municipal taxes are spent where they are levied. The custom tax is shipped off to Ottawa with no corresponding return.

THE STATE ELECTIONS.

Both parties in the States take comfort from the results of Tuesday's State elections. Republicans point with pride to the fact that McKinley, the apostle of high taxation, was elected in Ohio by a majority of over 20,000, and argue from this victory that the promised reaction in their favor has set in. There was certainly a considerable change from the vote of Ohio two years ago, but it must be remembered that the issue of unlimited silver coinage was introduced in this contest, so that Ohio's conversion may be more largely due to fear of financial disturbance than a desire to favor McKinleyism. Nevertheless, the Republicans seem to be justified in plucking some measure of hope for next year from their success in Ohio. This, however, is about their only source of joy. They have failed to capture either New York, Massachussets or Iowa, and although they allege that other questions prevented the returning of a straight verdict for or against McKinleyism, they must confess that the issue was no more beclouded in these States than it was in Ohio. Governor Russell's victory in Massachussets is especially significant as an evidence of a growing feeling in New England in favor of tariff reform. Pennsylvania has again bowed to the Republican "machine," in spite of the recent scandals, but this does not appear to have any strong bearing on the question of tariff. On the whole the Democrats seem to have the best reason to rejoice over the elections, and Canadians may entertain a hope that the presidential contest next year will result in a change of both Congress and Administration at Washington. With the Democrats in power there and the Liberals in power at Ottawa there will be a good prospect of the stupid tariff war between the two countries being ended and a more enlightened policy adopted on both sides.

TRIFLING WITH LEPROSY.

The Vancouver city council has withdrawn the guard from the two Chinese lepers who were for some time kept in confinement there, and they are now at liberty to go where they choose. This action was taken because the majority of the Vancouver aldermen objected to the city being any longer burdened with the expense of keeping the lepers under guard, both the Dominion Government and the C.P.R. Company refusing to bear any part of it. The actions of all concerned in this affair are to be censured. It is strange, in the first place, that the men afflicted with the loathsome disease should have been allowed to travel all the way from New York to Vancouver without detection, no doubt coming in contact with many people en route. When they arrived at Vancouver they were refused passage on the C. P. R. boats to China, and the Vancouver people had them shipped back. When they got as far as Swift Current they were stopped and once more hauled back to Vancouver, where they were taken in charge by the city authorities and isolated. Now the city refuses longer to pay the cost of keeping them confined and leaves them free to roam about at will. Such treatment of leprosy cases is nothing short of barbarism. It was certainly unfair that the burden of keeping the men should be thrust on Vancouver, but it was hardly wise for the City Council to set them at liberty, even with the view of bringing the case to a point. Leaving aside all humanitarian considerations and looking at the matter from a dollars-and-cents point of view, the council's action may in the long run cost the city more than the keeping of the lepers would have done. It will certainly hurt the city's reputation to have the idea go abroad that the two men are free to go about its streets as they please. Again, it is not creditable that the Canadian Pacific should seek to avoid its share of the responsibility, for it carried the men to Vancouver and refused to take them away again. It is difficult to see why a railway company should be at liberty to dump such passengers in any place it chooses along its route. It may not have any responsibility in a legal sense for their maintenance, but it is certainly responsible morally. Finally, why does the Dominion Government take no action in the case? Something must be done to keep these men isolated, and in the present circumstances the Government should act promptly. It collects a revenue of many thousand dollars a year from Chinese immigrants, a small portion of which might be devoted to the isolation of these two men and the prevention of a spread of the disease. While the three parties are engaged in a petty dispute over their responsibility, serious mischief may be done.

GALES ON THE PACIFIC.

Wreck of the Strathblane With the Loss of Five Lives—Umatilla's Experience.

ASTORIA, Or., Nov. 3.—The British ship Strathblane, nineteen days from Honolulu, in ballast, went ashore twenty-five miles north of here at five o'clock this morning. She is a total wreck. She lies abreast of Willapa bay, Washington, well up on the sand. Her masts and rigging are all gone and her hull is fast going to pieces. In an hour the Cape Hancock saving crew and a large number of men from Ilwaco reached the scene of the wreck on a special train. It was low water when the vessel struck and a heavy gale was blowing. The life crew worked bravely, and the men went up to their necks in the waves. One boat load of eight men came ashore and reported twenty-three more on board. The waves are sweeping clear over the vessel. All were got safely ashore except five, who were drowned—Captain Cuthell, Richard Hughes, the carpenter, Thomas Hunter, the cook; Donald McLeod, seaman, and a passenger, a lawyer from Honolulu, named William Lewis. Four of the bodies were recovered. The Strathblane was an old clipper, built for the Australian trade, and was an unusually staunch vessel. She was built in Glasgow in 1868, and was owned by B. & A. Allen. She registered 1364 tons. She had been in this port before, and left for Queenstown not quite one year ago. After discharging her wheat cargo she loaded at Glasgow for Honolulu, reaching there September 7, and sailing for Astoria October 14.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—The P.C.S.S. Co.'s steamer Umatilla arrived from Puget Sound this morning. The vessel was due early yesterday morning, and considerable anxiety was felt over her non-appearance. The delay was caused by a gale of wind which commenced at Cape Fattery and lasted up to last night. It rained torrents all the way down the coast. A fog bank was encountered yesterday morning, and the ship had to be slowed down for fifteen hours. During boat and fire drill on Monday second mate James was thrown violently across the deck and had his right arm broken.

A Stage Robber Killed.

REDDING, Cal., Nov. 3.—Bill Howard, one of the robbers of the Lakeview and Redding stage, was killed at his home, three miles from Redding, last night. After escaping from the officers near Holcombs Sunday night, Howard and Jones, his pal, went in opposite directions. It was thought that Howard would make for his father's house, and three men were placed in the house, C. Howard, the father, first being arrested and lodged in jail as an accomplice. About 12 o'clock the watchers heard the clatter of a horse's hoofs. They put out the light and awaited the arrival of the man whom they had reason to believe was Bill Howard. They heard him open the door to his father's bedroom, saying: "Father, strike a light, strike a light!" He then entered the room and opened the door leading to the room where the men were watching. As he opened the door they cried out: "Throw up your hands!" Instantly Howard, with an oath, turned to close the door. As he turned, three shotguns went off. Howard immediately fell and expired.

Northern Pacific Operations.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 4.—H. C. Davis, general agent of the Northern Pacific Railroad, arrived here from St. Paul yesterday. "We are not going to build any branch lines in the northwest for a year and a half, or such a matter, I think," he said. "The country is pretty well supplied now. We have no idea of extending to California, for it is so far that it would not be profitable. We are doing a local business of $6,000 a mile monthly, and the value of the products we will haul this year is $40,000,000 greater than it has ever been. The increase is mostly in grain. We are shortening the road a little all the time, not so much to make it short as to get new business. We shortened it thirty miles not long since in Minnesota and elsewhere, and we will shortly have an important cut off in the Idaho panhandle south of Lake Pend d'Oreille, where we will connect with the Cœur d'Alene branch from Spokane, and make it a section of the main line. Probably the next branch we build will be the little one of thirty miles from Pend d'Oreille to the Kootenay River.

Berlin Bankers Fail.

BERLIN, Nov. 4.—The suspension of Hirshfield & Wolf, bankers, was announced yesterday. Their liabilities amount to 300,000 marks. The losses fall on aristocratic depositors.

Poor Gold Diggings.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—Diggers who have returned to Perth, Australia, from the Murchison gold fields, report that the fields do not support more than 200 workers, and that out few of these are getting very profitable results.

LEPERS SET FREE.

Strange Doings in Regard to the Two Men at Vancouver.

VANCOUVER, Nov. 4.—Intense excitement was felt here yesterday on account of the turning loose of the two Chinese lepers who arrived there from New York about two months ago. The guard was removed at 2 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon, as a result of the refusal of the city council to bear any more expense. As soon as the doors were thrown open the Chinese lepers started down for Chinatown, but they were shunned by all their fellow countrymen and could not get shelter. Then they came back to the city and all day wandered up and down the principal business streets in the rain, finally going back to the shack on the shores of the bay where they have been confined for the past two months. The citizens are indignant at the action of the council, but can do nothing. The release of the lepers is due to a refusal on the part of either the Government or the Canadian Pacific railway to bear any part of the expense, and as the city is advised that it cannot collect anything it let them go. Before doing so the health officer notified General Superintendent H. Abbott, of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, but Mr. Abbott replied that he would take no action in the matter, that the lepers could be allowed to go free as far as the city was concerned and that he would take no responsibility in the matter, which he considered rested entirely with the city. What the outcome will be no one can predict. Certain it is that no sane man, Chinese or white, will have anything to do with them, and if they wander around the dreaded pollution may be left anywhere or everywhere.

On a visit to the shack to-day, it was found that although the guards had been removed in accordance with the resolution of the City Council, the door was padlocked, and subsequently it was learned that the padlock had been put on by the customs authorities. This afternoon the lock was removed, but the men declined to leave the hut, as they had no place to go, saying they would not go except to Hong Kong. A leading Chinese merchant, when spoken to, said they would not be received in Chinatown. The lepers claim that they have nothing to eat but some salt fish, while Inspector Hunter says they have plenty of rice.

BRIEF LOCALS.

One Day's Doings in City and Province Briefly Related.

New Codfish just received at R. H. Jameson's, 33 Fort street.

To-day, November 5th, is the 246th anniversary of Guy Fawkes day.

The City of Puebla took 1500 cases of salmon to San Francisco this morning.

Mr. R. H. Jamieson, 63 Fort street, has just opened a consignment of Spanish onions.

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Columbia Lodge No. 2, I.O.O.F., will pay an official visit this evening to Dominion Lodge No. 4.

Macaulay & Higginbottom, 74 Yates street, are offering some special lines men's suits very low prices.

Francis Murphy, the great temperance orator, is now in Seattle, and is lecturing to crowded houses.

Canada's best production in the way of pianos at prices that would astonish you at T. W. Fletcher's, 37 Fort street.

The Vancouver World is now published in 4-page form, and the Westminster Ledger waxeth merry over the fact.

The Pitt meadows, near the Fraser river, are covered with wild fowl just now, and sportsmen are doing good work.

Coroner Morrison will hold an inquest on Friday on the body of the Indian found dead at Saanich last week.

Cambridge sausages, beef sausages, pork pies, boiled corn beef and ham, at Whitelaw & Co.'s, 125 Fort street.

An attempt was made on Tuesday night to enter Mr. Salmon's store on Johnson street by cutting out the panel of a door.

Send your sons and daughters to the British Columbia Business College, for a full course in book-keeping and penmanship. The place over Messrs. Kerr & Begg's. Prices nominal. Enquire.

The late charity ball is believed to have netted nearly one thousand dollars. A statement will be published in a day or two.

The funeral of the late Wm. Steventon took place this afternoon from Oddfellows' hall, attended by the members of Dominion and sister lodges.

Prof. W. E. Bergman, the well known electrician, late of New York, has arrived in this city and is at rooms 17, 18 and 19, Humphrey's Block, Yates street. Those who have visited him state that his treatment is very successful.

Mr. C. G. Cunningham, who has acted as foreman in the lighting department in the N.E. T. & L. Co. for some time past, was last evening presented with a handsome watch charm by his fellow workers, on the eve of his departure for Lynn, Mass.

The winter schedule has gone into effect on the Northern Pacific railroad. The decrease in travel in the winter season has resulted in the discontinuance of the 2 o'clock overland train. The night train west-bound has been discontinued, and the day train will arrive at 9:40 at Seattle.

OUR PEOPLE ARE EXCITED AND ANXIOUS!

Men and Women Realize the Situation!

DANGER EVEN IN THE HOME!

The Doctors Speak!

Men and women in Toronto have lately become anxious and excited. We have been informed that many people have passed sleepless nights after hearing of terrible but true stories regarding the dangers to health and life. The people of Toronto have to contend with a deadly enemy—the old privy pit, which has done so much to spread disease and sickness. The mayor of Toronto is warmly in favor of a by-law for the immediate closing of these pestilential pools of disease. Drs. Oldwright and Cassidy have spoken plainly against their continued existence, and wonder how any well informed person in this nineteenth century can defend these disgusting relics of barbarism. They say that the air in the vicinity of dwellings is made noxious and poisonous. Other cities and towns in Canada suffer in like manner, and the mortality statistics are largely increased.

It is terrible to think of the position of those who are weak, frail, nervous, sleepless, dyspeptic, rheumatic and broken down in health. All such are the first to be laid low; they are surely victims for typhoid and malarial fever unless extraordinary precautions are observed. The true and sensible part of duty is to strengthen the nervous system, build up the body, cleanse the blood, and eradicate every taint of existing disease. To effect this happy change, people must use that great modern remedy, Paine's Celery Compound. Thousands of sick and ailing people in the largest cities and towns in Canada have been restored to new life and health by the use of the well-known preparation. No family is safe without it, who are exposed to foul smells and gases emanating from privy pits and cesspools. In circumstances such as we have mentioned, we know that physicians themselves have recommended Paine's Celery Compound, and the results have always proved satisfactory.

A Handsome Exhibit.

The handsomest and the most artistic of all the exhibits at the great Annual Fair of the American Institute in New York this year is that of Walter Baker & Co., the oldest and one of the largest manfacturers of cocoa and chocolate in the world. The utmost taste is evinced in the construction of the booth, which is a picture in white and gold; while the tempting display of goods pleases the eyes and arrests the steps of all visitors to the fair. Sample cups of W. Baker & Co.'s breakfast cocoa are served free to all by two pretty young ladies attired in the exact costume of Liotard's famous portrait of "La Belle Chocolatiere," (adopted many years ago as the trade mark of this firm) pale blue satin gowns, waists of old gold satin, and lace caps of pink and blue. The evolution of the product is also shown, from the immense cocoa pods containing the bean to the exquisitely colored powder which is so familiar to the housewife, and when served at the breakfast table, so grateful to the most fastidious palate. Taken altogether, it is a beautiful exhibit and one which deservedly receives the admiring attention of every visitor to the fair.

No "Old Favorites."

Manager W. S. Cleveland has fairly outdone himself in organizing his Consolidated Minstrels. No "old favorites" has been Mr. Cleveland's motto this year, because, he says, they cannot do but the one thing they've done all their life, at any rate they never change their business. You will not find a single "old timer" on his roll call. All his comedians are young and as he puts it, "full of ginger," and really clever; and his score of specialists present some of the most wonderful features ever seen in this country. The costumes, stage settings and electrical and calcium effects, are said to be bewildering in their royal splendor and gorgeousness.

Seattle's Fire Record.

The chief engineer of the Seattle fire department has published his report for the year ending September 30th, 1891. The total loss by fire during that time was $126,507.25. The cost of maintaining the department for the same period was $119,753.68.

Oppression of Christians.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—A dispatch from Singapore to the Times says: "The Hunan Literata has issued a manifesto, ordering the search and expulsion of all native Christians, confiscation of their property and destruction of their churches. Christian native officials are menaced with disfavor at Pekin."

Tony Hart Dead.

WORCESTER, Mass., Nov. 4.—Tony Hart died this morning at the Worcester lunatic hospital, where he had been confined for many months. He was a native of Worcester, and was born in 1855. Tony gained celebrity by his colored minstrel performances in partnership with Edward Harrigan.

Fierce Riot in Persia.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—In a religious riot at Mazandereau, Persia, a mob set fire to the house of Sardai Gooly, who was killed, with twenty dependents.

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New Steamer.

The new and palatial steamer Victorian leaves Victoria daily except Saturday for Port Townsend, Seattle and Tacoma at 7:30 a.m.

To be Raffled.

The big cake, which was given to the Jubilee Hospital by the proprietors of the Cafe Royal, will be raffled for at Mrs. G.A. McTavish's to-morrow night. The shares in the cake have nearly all been sold.

The News-Advertiser's Rival.

There is talk of changing the issue of the Vancouver Telegram from an evening to a morning newspaper to compete with the News-Advertiser. Money sufficient to back the new departure is said to be at command in plenty.

Arrived O. K.

A fine stock of Razor Strops; a complete line of shaving materials, c.c. Pocket Cutlery, Scissors, Table Cutlery direct from Sheffield, at Fox's, 78 Government street. Call and examine. *

To-night's Social Event.

To-night the private social event of the season is expected to take place at the Assembly room on the occasion of the ball to be given by Mesdames Barnard and Hannington. An unusually large number of invitations have been issued.

All respectable grocers in the city have got O'kell & Morris' jams. Ask for them.

Co-Operation is Great.

Mr. J. B. Jones, of the Pritchard house, and D. Brown, of the s.s. Kingston, were each awarded a suit of clothes; W. Luke, New York hotel, a gold watch; August Peters Baker, 257 Yates street, a mackintosh coat. Awarded by the Canadian Co-Operative Supply Co., 60 Yates street.

More Familiar Faces Going.

The crew of the Champion have scarcely returned to their Victorian friends before they will have to prepare for leave taking again. They are to be paid off in the beginning of next month, and will leave by the C.P.R. train for England on the 6th December. This crew is about the most popular of any here.

A Collision.

A team of horses hitched to a gravel wagon collided with a two-wheeled rig on Government street this morning, upsetting the latter and throwing the driver into a pile of mud on the road side. The shaft of the buggy was broken and the driver was shaken up, but luckily escaped without serious injury.

Spent a Pleasant Evening.

The choir of the First Presbyterian church were last evening the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Losee, Victoria West. Mr. Losee, who has but recently entered the married state, was a prominently active member of the choir, and has still a warm regard for his old associates. A very pleasant evening was spent.

Promenade Ball.

The new market will in all probability be opened about December 1st with a grand promenade ball. A number of ladies have requested the council to allow them to take the matter in hand, and their request will undoubtedly be granted by the market committee. The building would hold several thousand people and if properly managed the affair would be a grand success.

Spiritualist's Ball.

The social dance to be given at Harmony Hall to-morrow evening by the C. C. Society for the investigation of spiritualism will be a very pleasant affair. There will be nothing spiritual about the entertainment, as solid and substantial refreshments will be provided by the ladies of the society. The annual ball of the Spiritualists has in the past been quite a feature, and this year it will be no exception to the rule.

For the South.

The steamer City of Puebla sailed for San Francisco this morning with the following cabin passengers from this port: H. T. Ceperley and wife, Miss A. Worts, W. R. Brown, S. G. Harrison, A. Bossi, T. Carrie, H. Rogers and wife, Mrs. Allan, Miss Sayer, Capt. D. Urquhart, C. A. Hoffman, H. Chadwick, W. Allan, W. Y. Newlands and wife, Geo. T. Tuckett, Miss Fairlie, Capt. S. F. Scott and J. S. McDonald.

What Westminster Wants.

Mr. D. J. Munn, of New Westminster, is in the city. He reports the fine buildings in the Royal City well on the way to completion and the place progressing generally. He is of opinion that there is money in the business for the first wholesale house that opens up in Westminster, and especially if it is operated in conjunction with one of the large houses here. With a daily steamboat service between the two cities business of all kinds which is lagging now will grow apace.

Jones-Watson.

Mr. F. G. Jones, of Grand Prairie, and Miss Cora M. Watson, eldest daughter of Wm. Watson, of 23 Henry street, Rock Bay, were married last evening. Rev. J. H. White performed the wedding ceremony. Mr Geo. A. Harding acted as best man, and Miss Etta Watson as bridesmaid. After the ceremony the merry party of friends who had assembled poured their congratulations upon the happy couple. Mr. and Mrs. Jones left by the morning boat on their honeymoon trip.

In Love With British Columbia.

The Earl of Aberdeen and his accomplished and amiable wife are evidently in love with British Columbia. Judging by the good reports they give of the country at all times, and the interest they have in it. The Earl is about to establish an extensive fruit cannery at the Okanagon Mission. The contract has been let and the cannery is to be in operation within six months from now. Already the work has commenced. His lordship has just purchased a pair of fine general purpose mares from Mr. Lumby. He takes an active interest in the general affairs of the district, and only the other day gave a donation of $500 to the building fund of the Presbyterian Church.

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New Pork Butcher Shop.

Pork sausages, pig's feet, pork pies and fresh pork prepared in the most particular way, can be had at the new pork butcher shop, 93 Yates street, near Douglas. Cooked meats on Saturday night a specialty. *

In the Police Court.

There were four cases of infraction of the street by-law in the police court this morning, three of them being for furious driving. A fine of $5 was imposed in each case. Two drunks cost the same amount, and the court adjourned.

Uncle Tom's Cabin.

The Imperial Stock Company present on next Saturday afternoon and evening, the old Southern colored drama, "Uncle Tom's Cabin" with special scenery and effects. School children will be admitted for 20 cents.

Educational Classes.

Mr. J. W. Church, M. A., assisted by competent professors, is now conducting adult classes in the afternoon and evening at Corrig College. The intention primarily is for higher education and preparation for university exams., but commercial and general subjects are included.

The Wellington's Breakdown

As announced in last evening's TIMES, the steamer Wellington was towed into port by the steamer San Pedro. The former was disabled by a broken shaft. The accident happened on the 30th of October, about 30 miles off Cape Blanco, the thrust bearing breaking, together with the shaft, and the steamer lay disabled until picked up by the San Pedro. Repairs will be made by the Albion Iron Works, a heavy forging having already been telegraphed for, so that no delay will occur. The shaft could have been made here, but it can be procured quicker from San Francisco.

After Twenty-Eight Years.

Col. H. C. Adams, late of the 52nd Highlanders, stationed at Burmah, paid a visit to Victoria yesterday, and is a guest at the Dallas. The colonel is on his way to England, he having been placed on the retired list after 28 years continuous service with his regiment. He joined in 1833 as ensign and rose to command. During his years of service many stirring scenes have been enacted in which the regiment played a prominent part. It has been stationed at Gibraltar, Egypt and the East, and has often been in active warfare. The colonel regretted to part company with his regiment, but his health demanded a change. He has since his retirement, some three months ago, been rusticating in Japan, and will, on continuing his trip towards home, stop at the principal resorts on the road, intending to reach England about Christmas.

Imperial Stock Company.

A large and appreciative audience witnessed the third performance of the Imperial Stock Company, who again acquitted themselves in a manner which makes their success assured. Miss Kate Dalgleish, as "Sicily Blain," gave great pleasure, and showed considerable naturalness. Miss Kitty Belmour in the part of "Francesca Remmi," also acquitted herself well. Miss Belmour is a promising actress. During the scene when her child was taken away many of the audience were in tears, but when Mr. Gray appeared every one was compelled to laugh. Mr. Gray is a genius and his comedy is clean and artistic. To-night the great English drama "Ticket of Leave Man" will hold the boards. In the barroom scene special songs and music will be introduced as an extra attraction and a crowded house will no doubt greet them.

A Municipality Enterprise.

The Delta municipality which has been hitherto in danger of inundation from high tides has decided to obviate the risk, to which end Mr. Smith, C.E., of the firm of Keefer & Smith, mining and civil engineers, is to prepare a protection scheme. It is proposed to build a dyke extending about four miles long Boundary Bay. This dyke is to be the finishing link of a series of other dykes, and when completed will be the means of reclaiming a large and important section of land, besides protecting it from extremely high floods. It will be a substantial embankment of clay, well sodded at the base, and having in front a pile protection. At that point where the dyke crosses what is known as the "Big Slough," which drains the municipality, a series of well constructed sluice gates will be constructed. Mr. Smith has worked the scheme out with a great deal of skill, and it will cost in the neighborhood of $20,000, a small sum when the benefits attaching to the work are taken into consideration.

The Victoria Lithograph Company.

Mr. W. R. Creech, manager of the Victoria Lithograph Company, has secured the entire premises over Van Volkenburg's store, with entrance on Yates street. This places at the disposal of the company a large, well lighted flat, where the very finest work can be turned out. A staff of competent artists and engravers can there be seen at work, perfecting designs and making sketches for customers who are seeking ideas for their different businesses. A specialty is made of portrait work, enlarged from the ordinary cabinet to life size in crayon, oil or water colors, and the specimens already on exhibition go to prove that this is by no means the least creditable branch of the company's operations. The plant is of the most modern type, capable of turning out the highest class of lithographic work from a large map to an ordinary bill head. Already work is pouring in, and the artists and engravers are kept busy although the establishment has been in operation but a couple of months. A visit of inspection is worth anyone's while.

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DEATH-DEALING CURRENT.

A Horse Killed by an Electric Wire This Morning in James Bay.

The first serious accident caused by electric wires occurred at the corner of Superior street and Birdcage walk a few minutes after six o'clock this morning, when a valuable horse belonging to Mr. Thos. Earle, M. P., stepped on a Gamewell fire alarm wire, shivered and fell to the ground dead. Mr. Wm. Bryce, a newspaper carrier who was riding the horse, felt the shock but was not seriously hurt, his gum boots and saddle saving his life. The shock was so sudden that the rider could do nothing for several minutes but watch the animal, from which fire and smoke were arising. The horse's steel shoes and his teeth were shining with fire, while smoke was coming from his mouth. The horse did not live a second after he fell.

The fire alarm wire on which the horse stepped was foul with the wires of the N. E. T. and L. Company and the city electric light, and had been burnt through. One of the street car conductors, who went up to the horse and laid his hands on him, received a shock which caused him to shiver with fright for several minutes. A telephone message was sent to the street car station and the power shut off until the wires were untangled.

A man named Luke Wagner, who tried to disentangle the wire from around the horse before the current was shut off at the power house, was knocked senseless, and injured so severely that he had to be taken to the Jubilee Hospital. He will recover, but has sustained a severe shock to his nervous system, and will probably have a dread of electric wires in the future.

PERSONAL.

Movements of Well Known People in Various Directions.

D. J. Munn, of New Westminster, is in the city.

H. C. Carr, of London, England, is at the Dallas.

A. E. Rand and Mrs. Rand, of Westminster, are at the Driard.

W. Allan and wife and Miss Sayyea left for the South this morning.

W. N. Mears, traveling freight agent for the N.P. railroad is in the city.

Capt. E. J. Rathbone, Port-Captain of the U.P.R. company, is in town.

P. Max Kuehnrich, representing the Belletristisches Journal, New York, is in town on a visit.

H. T. Ceperley and family, of Vancouver, left for San Francisco by the City of Puebla this morning.

George Keefer, of the civil engineering firm of Keefer & Smith, is expected back from Siberia by the next Empress.

J. O. Benwell and wife, of Vancouver, are spending their honeymoon in this city. Mr. Benwell is one of Vancouver's solid financial men.

A. E. Goodwin, who has come here to stay, has entered into partnership with Mr. E. J. O'Sullivan, of the British Columbia Business College. Both are young men of good family and education, Mr. O'Sullivan's father representing Valleyfield in the Quebec Legislature, and Mr. Goodwin being the son of Mayor Goodwin of St. Catherines, Ont.

WHARF AND WAVE.

Jottings of Interest to Marine Men Concisely Compiled.

Schooner Favorite is having extensive repairs made to her upper works.

The department of marine is to place an electric light on Brotchie Ledge buoy. This will be a great aid to navigators.

The British ship Strathblane, bound from Honolulu to Puget Sound in ballast, has been driven ashore near Astoria, Ore., and is a total wreck. Six men were drowned.

The non-arrival of the sealing schooner Mascotte is causing considerable anxiety to those who have friends or relations on board. There are many chances that she will turn up all right yet.

The Chinaman Recovering.

Last evening's TIMES contained a small item announcing the fact that a shooting scrape had occurred at Koksilah yesterday, but particulars could not be obtained until after the paper had gone to press. In the evening it was learned that a Chinaman had been shot by a man known as Joe. The Chinaman claims that Joe shot him while he was walking along a lonely road. Joe says he shot in self-defence. The Chinaman was in a critical condition last night, but advices to-day state that he is recovering. He was shot in the neck.

County Court.

His Lordship the Chief Justice presided at the county court to-day, and had the usual motley audience. There are over 100 cases to be disposed of. The usual courtroom being occupied with the case of Harper vs. Cameron, the county court was held in the division court chamber.

Held a Survey.

Steamboat Inspector J. A. Thompson and Capt. W. R. Clarke held a survey on the damages to the steamer Wellington at 4 o'clock this afternoon, and will present a report to the proper authorities.

Closing for the Season

By building four cottages 10 minutes' walk from postoffice, on Vancouver street, and by offering a few bargains that we still have on hand.

1st.	8-room House, latest improvements	$3500
2nd.	7-room " "	2250
3rd.	5-room Cottage	2000
4th.	6-room "	1800
5th.	4-room "	1100
6th.	Lot on Oak Bay avenue	400
7th.	2 Lots near Oak Bay Avenue	700
8th.	4 Lots Victoria West	1200

YOUNG & BARTLETT.

CRICKET.

A meeting will be held in the City hall on Monday evening by those interested in the formation of a cricket club on more cosmopolitan lines than the one now in existence. Over 80 names have already been entered on the membership list, and every effort will be made to make the new club a good one.

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EXCHANGED BABIES.

The Chiappini Story as to the Origin of Louis Philippe.

Serious Doubts Entertained by the Royalists of France Regarding the Origin of the Count of Paris.

"Not a Bourbon, but a mere Chiappini, with the blood of a base-born Italian jailer," were the words used by Count Maurice d'Antigne, the favorite and confidential secretary of the late compt de Chambord, to stigmatize the compt de Paris at the banquet held the other day in the French capital by that section of the royalist party which denies the pretensions of the compt de Paris, and which regards Don Carlos as the rightful heir to the claims of the compt de Chambord.

Inasmuch as but few people outside of France are aware of the very serious doubts which exist as to the royal character of the comte de Paris' descent, it may be of interest, says the marquis de Fontenoy in the New York Recorder, to give a brief outline of the so-called Chiappini story.

I will begin by stating that the latter is strongly indorsed by Sir Bernard Burke, Ulster king-at-arms, and the greatest of genealogists, who, after special researches extending over a number of years, publicly proclaims that neither the comte de Paris nor any of his children and uncles have a drop of Orleans or Bourbon blood in their veins.

According to documentary evidence of the most complete nature King Louis Philippe, who taught a school in this country at the beginning of the present century, and who subsequently reigned from 1840 to 1848 as sovereign of France, was a changeling. He was not the son of the regicide Duke Philippe d'Orleans, surnamed "Egalite," but was the offspring of the Florentine jailer, Chiappini.

The documentary evidence which I have referred to above, and of which the originals are preserved among the archives of Lord Newborough's family, go to show that in 1783 the duke and duchess of Orleans, traveling under the very transparent incognito of Comte and Comtesse de Joinville, arrived at a small town—I forget at this moment the name thereof, but it is somewhere near Florence—and took up their residence at the leading inn of the place. Twenty-four hours later the duchess gave birth to a daughter, who was entered upon the local parish register as the female child of the "Comte and Comtesse de Joinville."

Both the duke and the duchess displayed signs of disappointment at the sex of the child, and learning that the wife of the local jailer, Chiappini by name, had a fine healthy boy, they induced the parents of the latter by means of a large bribe to consent to an exchange of children.

The jailer's son, Chiappini, therefore grew up to consider the duke and duchess of Orleans as his parents, and eventually ascended the throne of France as King Louis Philippe, while the authentic child of the duke and duchess was taught to believe that she was the daughter of the Chiappinis.

She grew up to be a beautiful girl, figured for a time under the name of Maria Stella Chiappini as leading danseuse of the opera of Florence, and finally became the wife of an Irish peer, the first Lord Newborough, to whom she bore two sons, the younger of whom, born in 1803, is the present bearer of the title.

On Jailer Chiappini's deathbed he made a last confession in writing, duly attested by witnesses, of the change of children that had taken place at the time of Lady Newborough's birth, and other evidences in support of the statements contained in this dying confession were duly legalized copies of the entries in the (since mutilated) parish register of the town where she was born, and a sworn statement of the old chief steward of the duke and duchess of Orleans, who had accompanied them during their momentous journey to Italy.

Lady Newborough sacrificed both her peace of mind and the major part of the immense fortune bequeathed to her by her husband in her vain efforts to get the French courts to recognize her claims to royal rank, an obviously hopeless task, since Chiappini's son, Louis Philippe, was on the throne of France at the time.

When she died her son, the present Lord Newborough, determined to waste no further trouble or money in prosecuting claims that could lead to but barren honors, and made up his mind that the position of an English peer and landowner was after all superior to that of a French pretender.

It is a fact that Czar Nicholas was so firmly convinced of the truth of Lady Newborough's claims and of the falsity of Louis Philippe's pretensions to royal parentage that in order to publicly manifest his sentiments on the subject he declined during the entire eight years of Louis Philippe's reign to accredit a Russian ambassador to the French court.

Jews in Poland.

In the town of Warsaw the Jews now number 40 per cent. of the population, and the average in all the other towns of Poland is 30 per cent. while in the villages it falls to 7 per cent., and in the rest of the country to nil. According to the London Daily News, Consul Grant says the trades and industries in the city of Warsaw are almost entirely in the hands of the Hebrew population. In the higher branches of commerce the ratio is 16 Jews to 3 Christians, in the lower branches 19 Jews to 2 Christians, and in the agency and brokerage business 43 Jews to 1 Christian. Of the large industrial enterprises of the city, 63 per cent. are in the hands of Jews and only 18 per cent. belong to native Christians. As common workmen and as domestics the proportion is the other way, only 11,000 Jews, or 8 per cent. of the total Jewish population being so employed, against 42,000 Christians, or 20 per cent. of the total Christian population.

MIXED DIVORCE LAWS.

A Decree Granted in California Not Necessarily Valid in New York.

Dissatisfied husbands and wives who fancy they have only to go to some other state to get a divorce which cannot be obtained in New York will have something to think about in a decision recently rendered by the general term of the supreme court in the third department, says the New York Herald. In the case there decided it appeared that the husband had gone to California, and at the end of six months applied for a divorce from his wife, whom he left in the east. He got the divorce, married another woman and returned to his old home in New York. Thereupon the first wife applied in this state for a divorce on the grounds of his unlawful relations with alleged wife number two.

It was shown in evidence that the husband had never become a bona fide citizen of California, but had gone there and claimed a residence for the mere purpose of securing a divorce and with the intention of returning to New York to live as soon as he got the divorce. In behalf of the husband it was claimed that a divorce valid by the law of California was valid everywhere, and that a court of New York was bound to accept it as such.

The general term does not take this view. It holds that when both of the parties are citizens of New York and one goes to another state to obtain a divorce it is not only the right but the duty of a court of this state to inquire whether the residence on which the divorce was obtained was bona fide or "merely colorable."

What is requisite to constitute a bona fide residence of six months or a year and what will be regarded as a "merely colorable" residence must depend chiefly on the circumstances of each case. But the fact that the matter is open to inquiry may render this way to divorce more difficult and uncertain than has been generally supposed.

HE COWED THE AUDIENCE.

An Actor Who Was Hissed Removes His Mask and Cries for Revenge.

'Tis seldom that an actor is hissed, but recently the patience of an Albany audience gave way, and the soul-stirring efforts of two mediocre actors not long since received well-merited hisses, according to the Argus of that city. For a moment the artists were dumb, then one of them, advancing to the footlights, said in tremulous tones: "Friends, I'm sorry. We've done the best we could to amuse you. We've thrown ourselves about the stage and worked hard, and is this the return we get?" He stopped for a moment. Then his anger and resentment overmastered him. "This is the first time," said he, in a ringing tone, "that the American Macks have ever been hissed. I'm sorry that you show such little courtesy to a fellow man, but if there is anyone among you," he cried, tearing off the beard and wig, revealing the close cropped head and square jaws of a prize fighter, "who wishes to back up what he did let him step up here."

The nerve of the man captured the audience. Those who had hissed him now cheered and applauded. They admired the pluck of the man. The applause emboldened him, and as he threw aside his coat he called again for any person in the audience to meet him, but he must have a parting shot, and as he turned to leave the stage he yelled: "If any of you want to see me after the performance is over you will find me at the entrance!" But no one saw him. His brutality captured more applause than his acting.

HOW MEN PART THEIR HAIR.

A Barber Tells Why They Part It on the Left Side.

"I have seen," says a barber, "hundreds of barbers' trade secrets exposed but I have never seen a reason given in print for men parting their hair on the left side in more than nine cases out of ten. I talked the matter over with a physician once and he said it might be only a coincidence, but that at least nine out of ten sleep on the right side because by so doing digestion is aided and the action of the heart is left undisturbed. That, I think, accounts for the hair parting, because the warmth of the side of the head pressed into the pillow greatly aids the growth of the hair and a man naturally parts his hair so as to brush it in the direction of the greatest growth. This also accounts for what almost every one who has tried to keep his mustache and beard evenly trimmed must have noticed—that he has to trim the right side more frequently than the left. Warmth is the best hair tonic and invigorator discovered, especially a moist heat, such as is produced by confined perspiration."

At Forty Odd Years.

That is a serious time of life when you begin to realize that the man you are is not the man you hope to become, but the man you have shown yourself to be; a definite quantity with precise limitations, and not a great one. We all compare ourselves at greater or less distances with people in books and history, says a writer in Scribner's. There is a time when it is a delightful reassurance to learn from the lives of Keats, Pitt, Hamilton or Henry Clay that we are no young to be famous and that men no older than we have immortalized themselves as poets or as statesmen. Again there comes a time when we go to books for reassurances of another sort, and pluck up our fainting hopes as we read how Grant, Sherman, Cromwell and Nathaniel Hawthorne reached our time of life without distinguishing themselves beyond common, and yet lived to take rank among the immortals. There may be hope for us, we feel, for all of our forty odd years.

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12. Silver Handled Riding Whip.

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JAS. LEGGAT, Patentee, - Montreal.

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NOTICE TO THE BUILDING TRADES.

WHOLE AND SEPARATE TENDERS are required for the erection of a frame dwelling and fences, digging and leveling of garden, graveling paths, etc., according to plan, on the north side of Sylvia street (near Beech), James Bay, for W. Bernaman Wade, Esq.

Plans and specifications may be seen at my office, where tenders will be received up till 12 o'clock noon on Tuesday, Nov. 10th, 1891.

The lowest or any tender will not necessarily be accepted.

J. GERHARD TIARKS,
Architect.

39 Government street, Oct. 31, 1891.

Tenders are also invited for the grading and graveling of drive, at the approach, and paths already roughly laid out at Loxton Lodge, opposite, for J. G. Tiarks. Specifications at 39 Government street. oc31

NOTICE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia.

Between Henry Dumbleton Plaintiff, and E. Marston and O. Marston, Defendants.

Dated November 2, 1891.

Upon hearing Mr. F. G. Walker of Counsel for the Plaintiff, and upon reading the affidavit of J. E. McMillan, sworn herein the 2nd day of November, 1891, I do order that the posting of a copy of this order and a copy of the writ of summons in this action upon the premises last occupied as a place of business by the defendants in the City of Victoria and an insertion of an advertisement for eight days in one daily paper published in the City of Victoria setting out the purport of this order shall be deemed good and sufficient service of the writ herein upon the defendants for all purposes whatsoever.

And I do further order that the defendants do appear within eight days from such posting, or the first insertion of such advertisement, whichever may happen last; and in case the defendants do not appear within such eight days, I do further order that judgment may be entered to the plaintiff as in default of appearance.

M. W. TYRWHITT DRAKE.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia

Between George Lawson Kilne, Plaintiff, and Edward Marston, Defendant.

To Edward Marston of the City of Victoria:

Take notice that under an order of the Hon. M. W. Tyrwhitt Drake, Justice, made on the 2nd day of November last, a writ of summons has been issued against you returnable in eight days from this date. If you do not cause an appearance to be entered herein within that time final judgment will be signed in your absence.

A. PHILIP PEACOCK,
21 Bastion street,
Solicitor for the Plaintiff.

Dated this 3rd day of November, A.D. 1891. 3t

MUNICIPAL.

ANY HOUSEHOLDER desiring to register their votes for the Municipal Elections under the 34th clause of the Municipalities Act, Subsection E, can do so by filling up the necessary declaration papers, which will be furnished at the City Hall, and returning the same to the undersigned any time on or before the 1st day of December, 1891.

WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Assessor.

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 31, 1891. oc31-td

MUNICIPAL.

To Owners of Real Estate

Tax notices have this day been posted to all parties holding Real Estate. If not delivered at residence, please call at Postoffice for same.

CHAS. KENT,
Collector.

October 22, 1891. oc22

MUNICIPAL.

NOTICE.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED at the City Clerk's office up to 4 p.m. on November 21st, 1891, for supplying 600 tons of cast iron pipe as follows:

200 tons of 4-inch pipe.
150 tons of 5-inch pipe.
150 tons of 6-inch pipe.
100 tons of 8-inch pipe.

The above to be delivered on or before the first day of May, A.D. 1892.

By order,
GILBERT W. CLAYTON-EAST,
" Acting C.M.C.

City Clerk's office, Oct. 22, 1891. oc22-td

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the co-partnership heretofore existing between William W. Petri and John Cook has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. The business will hereafter be carried on at the old stand, Delmonico Hotel, by William W. Petri and William R. Jackson, under the name and style of Petri and Jackson, who will discharge all liabilities of the firm of Petri and Cook.

Dated 30th September, 1891.

WILLIAM W. PETRI,
JOHN COOK,
WILLIAM R. JACKSON.

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NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I SHALL not be responsible for any debts contracted without my written authority.

W. P. TOLMIE.

Victoria Sept. 2, 1891. oc2-tf

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the stock-in-trade and goodwill of the business lately carried on by me and formerly by J. Macdonald & Co. at Duncan's Station has been sold and transferred to Messrs. Bazett and Norwood, and I beg to request for the new firm a continuance of the patronage heretofore given to the late firm of J. Macdonald & Co. and to the undersigned.

JOE MACDONALD.

Victoria, B.C., 8th October, 1891. oct10-1m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore existing between Allan Stevens and Koster Jennings as wholesale and retail butchers at No. 90 Johnson street, has been this day mutually dissolved. Allan Stevens will continue the business.

Signed { ALLAN STEVENS,
KOSTER JENNINGS.

Dated Victoria, B. C. Oct. 9th, 1891.

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NOTICE.

Sechart Quicksilver Mineral Claim.

TAKE NOTICE that we, William Ethridge, Free Miner's Certificate No. 22,053, and James Germansen, Free Miner's Certificate 22,044, intend, 60 days from the date hereof, to apply to the Gold Commissioner for a Certificate of Improvements for the purpose of obtaining a Crown Grant of the above claim, and further take notice that adverse claims must be sent to the Gold Commissioner, and action commenced before the issuance of such Certificate of Improvements.

Dated this 27th day of August, 1891.

WILLIAM ETHRIDGE,
JAMES GERMANSEN.

oct7-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell wine, liquors and cigars by retail at the premises situate at the corner of Store and Cormorant streets, Victoria City, and known as the Caledonian saloon to Joseph Munier, Joseph H Brown and Henry Fox.

JOSEPH CARPENTER.

Dated September 19th, 1891.

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NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by my wife or any other person on her behalf.

JOHN J. RUSSELL,
Strawberry Vale Far

Victoria, Dec. 11, 1890. de12-tf

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

W. H. BAINBRIDGE, Secretary of the B.C. Pottery and Terra Cotta Works, the B.C. Agricultural Association, and the Victoria Jockey Club, has removed his offices to the JEWELL BLOCK, DOUGLAS STREET. se19-tf

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the partnership heretofore existing between William H. Danby and Henry G. Walker as real estate agents, is this day mutually dissolved, W. H. Danby continuing the business.

(Signed) WILLIAM H. DANBY.
HENRY G. WALKER.

Dated Victoria, B.C., 15th October, 1891 oct6-1m

In the matter of Abel Beswick, deceased intestate, and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, the undersigned William Monteith, have been appointed under an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia dated 12th October, 1891, administrator of all and singular the goods, chattels and credits of Abel Beswick, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me forthwith their said indebtedness, and those having claims there against are requested to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B.C., 12th October, 1891.

WM. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

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SANDFORD JAMES MARTIN.

Assignment for the Benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT to the "Trustees and Executors Act," notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having claims upon or against the estate of Sandford James Martin, general dry goods and hardware dealer of Victoria, are required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 15th November, 1891, after which date the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the Trustees shall then have have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person of whose claim they shall not have had notice.

Dated this 22nd day of October, 1891.

THORNTON FELL,
Solicitor for the Trustees, John Wilson Lawrence of Toronto, and Richard Edward Cooper of Victoria. oct22-td

THE GREER ESTATE.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS who have purchased lots in the above estate are respectfully requested to forward to box 185, Vancouver P.O., any sum or sums of money they may feel disposed, which amounts will be duly acknowledged and receipts therefor forwarded as credit on back payments, to meet the necessary expenses in three suits now pending, viz: One criminal and two civil. I have not compromised any who may have purchased property in the estate referred to, with a tyrannical company, well knowing my many friends would stand by me. The darkest hour has arrived. My petition of right will be carried to the foot of the Throne and the six thousand acres, the Canadian Pacific Railway land grant, must fall to the ground. Justice will yet be had.

SAMUEL GREER.

October 5, 1891. oct6-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that we intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a timber lease covering the following described tract of land, namely:

Commencing at a post on the eastern boundary of Lot 133, Nanaimo District; thence west 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west 20 chains to a point on the northern boundary of Lot 133; thence north 420 chains; thence east 115 chains; thence south 10 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 100 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence east 40 chains; thence south 120 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence north 20 chains; thence west 20 chains; thence south 20 chains; thence west to the point of commencement, and said to contain 10,000 acres more or less.

JOHN DENISON,
J. A. STRATHEY.

October 7th, 1891. oct.-6-1m

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE that I intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the city of Victoria at its next regular meeting for a transfer of my license to sell intoxicating liquor at the Nickle Plate Saloon, Government street, to Thomas Garvin.

ARTHUR FOX.

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NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS OF GARESCHE, GREEN & Co., Bankers, will be carried on without interruption by the Trustees of the Estate.

F. H. WORLOCK,
se21 J. R. CHANTRELL, } Trustees.

LAND REGISTRY ACT.

Lot No. 412, Victoria City.

WHEREAS THE CERTIFICTE OF TITLE of Adolph Otto Hartnagel and Louis Redon to the above lot, bearing date the 10th day of January, 1876, has been lost or destroyed, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate, Notice is therefore hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrar in writing, within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry office,
Victoria, Oct. 10th, 1891. oct10-1m

PUBLIC NOTICE.

WHEREAS His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council of the Province of British Columbia, has granted me a *Petition of Right* against the Crown, to set aside two Crown Grants, viz.: two Lots, 328 and 91, given to Sir Donald A. Smith and Hon. R. Angus, for 6,080 acres of land in the City of Vancouver

And whereas the case is now pending trial in the Supreme Court of British Columbia, all parties are warned not to purchase any land contained in the above-named grants, as they were issued unlawfully, without any Statute, or Act of the Legislature, or any consideration

And further, that I am owner of Lot No. 1082, situated on English Bay, and within the above-named grant, *as shown by the District Registrar*; and all parties are warned not to purchase or negotiate for any of the above-named Lot No. 1082.

SAMUEL GREER.

Vancouver, Oct. 5, 1891. oct6-1m

OUR LATEST

Some of the best farm lands on Vancouver Island	per acre	10
10 acres, Cadboro Bay	per acre	150
Acre property, Carey Road		200
Acre property, Gordon Head Road		250
100 acres improve land in South Saanich	per acre	85
176 acres near Nanaimo. Good alder bottom, improved, price		3000
Building lots, James Bay, prices from		$700 to 1500
Two fine corner lots on Richmond Road and Pandora Street	two	1150
Fine building lots, two minutes' walk from tram, Cadboro Bay Road	each	450
Three acres, Belcher Avenue, excellent building site	per acre	2000
One lot Chestnut Avenue, near Jubilee Hospital, price		420
Fine building lot, Rithet Street, James Bay, price		1000
Fine new house, 15 rooms, all hard finished, price		3000
New cottage and lot, Front street, Victoria West, price		1250

T. C. RAYNER,

Conveyancer and Notary Public

Bank Building, Trounce Avenue.

MEN ON THE CONGO

They Have Increased Fourfold Within the Past Few Years.

The white population on the Congo is increasing rapidly. When Stanley left the river, after having planted his twenty stations, there were only about two hundred white men left to continue the various phases of his work. There are now, says the New York Sun, over eight hundred white men on the Congo. Over one-third of them are in the service of the Congo state, while the others are engaged in trading and missionary enterprises. In 1889 Boma, the capital of the Free state, contained the greatest number of whites, but last year it was surpassed by Matadi, which is at the head of navigation on the lower Congo. Matadi has gone ahead because it is the starting point of the Congo railroad, and most of the whites at that place are engaged in building the road.

Matadi now has a white population of one hundred and sixty-nine souls, while Boma has ten less. Boma is the seat of government, and also the place where a number of important European trading firms make their headquarters. It has a railroad leading from the wharf up to the sanitarium, the hotel, and the government buildings on the heights away from the river. With its considerable native population and the large variety of business transacted there, Boma is a very busy little place.

Leopoldville, the chief settlement on the upper river at Stanley Pool, has eighty-two whites. There are only fifteen Americans on the river, nearly all of whom are missionaries. Thirty-two Danes and Swedes are among the employes of the Congo state, and almost to a man they are engaged in the steamboat service, many of them being engineers. The sixty-three Italians on the river are at work on the railroad. They were taken from southern Italy, because the climate there is warm, and it was thought they would endure hard service in Africa better than workmen from north Europe. They are bosses or section hands, who teach the native track graders how to perform their labor, and they superintend the work, often taking a hand themselves to show the natives how the work should be done.

The forty-five Egyptians are soldiers imported from Egypt for the purpose of setting a good military example to the native soldiery organized by the state. Half the Egyptians are in the garrison at Boma, and the other half are at Leopoldville.

Banana, the settlement at the mouth of the Congo, has now a population of only eighty-three whites, and has been surpassed by Leopoldville in the interior. There are now more white men at each of half a dozen posts on the upper Congo than there were at Leopoldville, the chief point on the river, five years ago.

White men on the Congo are finding that with the introduction of more comforts from Europe, with a supply of better food on their tables, and with medical attendance at a number of the more important stations, they can live on the river in far better health than a few years ago. The mortality now that the river has a white population of over eight hundred people is hardly greater than it was five years ago, when only about two hundred white men lived there.

LIKE TO BE HUMBUGGED.

What a Woman Physician Says About the Wants of Patients.

A woman physician in the city told a most remarkable thing a day or two ago, says the New York Sun. "It takes a deal of conscientiousness to keep a physician from becoming a quack," she said. "It's such an easy thing to quack when you know your patient wants you to, and that because the patient wants it, it would perhaps be beneficial in the end. By quacking I mean resorting to clap-trap and unscientific methods, such as the faith cure and its like. No one but a physician has any idea how great a demand there is for this among intelligent people.

"They don't want the honest, straightforward exhibition of the action of drugs on the body. They want a mystery about it, an exhibition of healing as a divine force—something that appeals to the imagination. And because it's a subject for the imagination the demand comes not from the ignorant and unthinking, but from the most intelligent and best-informed people.

"I have known some of the most logical and clear-headed people in the city to offer such a resistance to scientific rational measures in medical treatment and insist so strongly upon some illegitimate and inadequate course, as to put the honest physician's patience to its last resort.

"It isn't quite that they like to be humbugged. They don't know it by that, though the physician does. They want something for the imagination to work on. And that's the stronghold of the quack practitioner. It takes an honest man or woman to practice medicine honestly."

The Settling of California.

Upper California was first visited by the Spaniards in 1542. Sir Francis Drake, the same who took Raleigh's colony back to England in 1585, visited upper California in 1579, calling it New Albion, which means new England. It was two hundred years later, in 1769, when Catholic missionaries from Spain made the first settlement of white people in that country. There were only about ten thousand white inhabitants in the whole province when it was seized by the United States in 1846. In the summer of that year California settlers from the United States set up a movement for independence, and tried to establish a government known as "The Bear Flag Republic." They were aided by Capt. Fremont (afterward a general), who was in the province as the leader of an exploring expedition. United States naval officers on the coast, expecting a war between the United States and Mexico, raised the American flag on shore, and after some fighting, the province remained in American hands, and was definitely annexed at the close of the Mexican war.

The Ameer to Visit England.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The Foreign Office is elated over the news that the Ameer of Afghanistan will be a visitor to England in the spring. Every effort will be made to impress the visitor and to show him what a great country England is compared with Russia. The Ameer has ordered the purchase of some comfortable winter garments in London to be worn during his journey. The visit of the Ameer will be of great political importance, and the announcement of his intention has, it is said, created considerable irritation in St. Petersburg.

A Severe Attack.

DEAR SIRS,—My children were taken ill with ulcerated sore throats bordering on diphtheria. I had nothing in the house but Hagyard's Yellow Oil, which I used with great benefit. I am sure if it had not been for it the disease would have developed into diphtheria. It is a splendid medicine. Mrs. E. Cameron, Moore's Falls, Ont.

Her Face Her Fortune.

Is commonly said of famous beauties. She who uses with artistic taste Wisdom's Famous Robertine has fortune in the possessing of a complexion to which nothing but the blush of the rose or the freshness of the lily can be compared. This preparation is just what it is claimed to be—the most delightful toilet article and only perfect beautifier known. Read the testimonials from famous artists, celebrated chemists and eminent physicians. D. E. Campbell, agent.

A Great Convenience.

From this date Jackson & Mylius, jewellers, 76 Government street, will send for your clock, and return it when properly adjusted. Call, or drop in a card, which will have our prompt attention. Watches and jewelery repaired. All work guaranteed.

A fine line of 1847 Roger Bros. quadruple plated silver ware, suitable for wedding gifts, at Weiler Bros.

The Pope Makes His Will.

LONDON, Nov. 4.—The Chronicle's Paris correspondent says:—"The Pope prepared his religious will in October. It is written in Latin. The Pope disclaims any personal inclination as to the choice of his successor. The Pope's temporal will is being drafted by four cardinals in secret. All the Pope's property is invested in England."

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SAMUEL M. ROBINS,
Superintendent.

Dec. 30.

A BY-LAW

To authorize certain officials to borrow money to meet current expenditure.

WHEREAS by Sub-section 133 of Section 96 of the "Municipal Act, 1891," it is enacted that the municipal council of any city in the Province of British Columbia be authorized under the conditions there expressed to borrow from any person such sum of money and bearing such rate of interest as may be requisite to meet the current legal expenditure of the corporation which becomes payable out of the annual revenue before the revenue for the year becomes payable by the taxpayers;

AND WHEREAS it is found necessary in order to meet the current legal expenditure of the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow the sums of money hereinafter mentioned in accordance with said Sub-section 133 of Section 96 of said "Municipal Act, 1891."

THEREFORE BE IT ENACTED by the Mayor and Aldermen of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Corporation of the City of Victoria to borrow from the Bank of British North America such sums of money as may be requisite to meet the current legal expenditure of the said Corporation which becomes payable out of the municipal revenue, and the amounts so borrowed shall be repayable and repaid on or before the 31st day of December, A.D. 1891, out of the municipal revenue for the said year.

2. The amounts so borrowed shall not exceed in the whole the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars ($250,000), and the rate of interest payable thereon shall not exceed the rate of six per centum per annum.

3. The obligation to be given to the said Bank shall be in writing signed by the Mayor and the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the said Corporation and shall be in the form of a promissory note and shall bear the corporate seal of the said Corporation.

4. All agreements for advance heretofore made from said Bank are herby confirmed.

5. The "Bank Credit Amendment By-Law, 1891," is hereby repealed.

6. This By-Law may be cited as the "Bank Credit Amendment By-Law, 1891, No. 2."

Passed the Municipal Council the 23rd day of September, A.D., 1891.

Reconsidered and finally passed the Council this 5th day of October, A.D., 1891.

[L.S.] JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

GILBERT W. CLAYTON-EAST, Acting C.M.C.

oct Acting C.M.C.

A BY-LAW

For the levying of Rates upon Land and the Improvements thereon.

BE IT ENACTED by the Council of the Corporation of the City of Victoria as follows:

1. This By-Law may be cited as "The Land and Improvement Rate By-Law."

2. From and after the passing of this By-Law there shall be raised levied and collected upon all the land and improvements upon the assessment roll of the Corporation of the City of Victoria the following rates on the assessed value thereof as appears by the said roll:

Upon all land an equal rate of one per cent. and one-half of one per cent.

Upon all improvements upon land an equal rate of three quarters of one per cent.

3. The aforesaid rates and taxes shall be due and payable by the person or persons liable therefor to the Collector of the said Corporation at his office at the City Hall in the City of Victoria on or before the 1st day of December, 1891.

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Victoria, B.C., Oct. 8th, 1891. oc8

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The offices of the Company have been removed to 40 Government street, the premises lately occupied by the Telegraph Company.
Dec. 30.

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$17—TWO STORY HOUSE on Fort street, with city water.

FOR SALE TO-DAY BY P. & M.

$325—GOOD LOT (80x120 ft.), Richmond avenue. A bargain.
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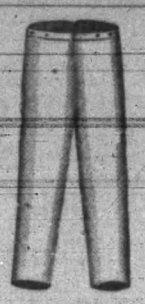
NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

In the matter of Charles McCarthy, deceased, intestate, and in the matter of the Official Administrator's Act, 1890.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I, the undersigned, William Monteith, have been appointed under an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia, dated 4th Nov., 1891, Administrator of all and singular the goods chattels and credits of Chas. McCarthy, deceased.

All parties indebted to the said estate are hereby notified to pay to me, forthwith, their said indebtedness; and those having claims thereagainst are required to present same to me within sixty days from this date.

Victoria, B.C., 4th November, 1891.
WM. MONTEITH,
no5 Official Administrator.



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THOMAS DAVIDSON,
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WEATHER REPORT.

VICTORIA, B. C., Nov. 5, 1891.

Time	Ther'ter	Bar.	Wind.	Remarks.
—1 p.m	53	29.82	E by S	Cloudy
6 p.m	51	29.85	N E by N	"
10 p.m	49	29.84		"
6 a.m	49	29.87	W by S	"
—1 p.m	55	29.99	S E by E	

Temperature—Highest, 53; lowest, 48.
Rain, 0.84 inches.

TIDE RECORD—VICTORIA HARBOR, B.C.
For 24 hours ending 1 p.m. 5th Nov. 1891

WEDNESDAY Nov. 4.			THURSDAY, Nov. 5.		
h.	Tide ft above datum.	h.	Tide ft above datum.	h.	Tide ft above datum.
1	9.16	8	4.50	1	3.08
2	7.50	9	3.08	2	4.25
3	9.42	10	2.08	3	5.51
4	8.08	11	2.00	4	6.75
5	8.50	12	2.42	5	7.42
6	7.08			6	8.00
7	5.83			7	8.25
8	8.08				
9	8.75				
10	8.83				
11	8.83				
12	8.83				
1	9.00				

CHARLES STEWART KILLED.

Run Over by a Train at Nanaimo Yesterday —Other Items.

NANAIMO, Nov. 5.—Charlie Stewart, son of chief constable Stewart employed at the Nanaimo depot, met with a fatal accident yesterday whereby he lost his life. The deceased was riding on a box car which was being shunted, and after passing the platform he attempted to jump off. The car, however, struck him and sent him head long on the track, and before he could rise, the cars were passing over where he lay. Had he remained there all would have been well, but he evidently feared the engine would catch him so he attempted to roll from the track between the front and back wheels of the car. In doing so he had his left leg taken off at the hips and his left arm horribly mangled. He was immediately taken to the hospital, but while the surgeons were amputating the limbs he expired. The sad affair has cast quite a gloom over the city and great sympathy is felt for the parents in their heart-rending grief. The youth had been reared in this city and is, therefore, well-known and thought a great deal of. The deceased was only re-engaged at the depot on Monday, he having worked there on a previous occasion. The funeral takes place to-morrow.

THE COAL TRADE.

The state of the coal trade in San Francisco is occupying considerable attention from the inhabitants of this city and already its effect has been felt here. The New V. C. Co. are only working their mines four days per week and how long this will last is a question asked by many. The opening up of the new mines is however not impeded in any way, so that the company will be ready to double their output immediately it is required.

A GLEE CLUB.

Mr. W. J. Spear has started a glee club in this city, composed of all the principal vocalists. Mr. Spear has been very successful in bringing the Methodist choir to a state of efficiency and there is little doubt but that the new club will before long delight the citizens of Nanaimo with a number of concerts. Mr. Spear hopes to give a grand concert by the club about Christmas time.

A DEFAULTER.

An application for a warrant for the arrest of Joseph Lucas was made yesterday by Field Bros. Lucas has been in charge of the Northfield branch of the firm and while holding that position is said to have done his employers up to a great extent. The downfall of the young man in question is attributed to gambling.

LITTLE EVENTS.

The miners' mass meeting will be held here on Saturday, and it is fully expected the Wellington strike will be raised.

Joe Beacher has issued a challange to wrestle any man on the Island at 136 pounds any style.

Miss Rosie Hilbert will be married to John Perkins on Nov. 7.

News From Westminster.

NEW WESTMINSTER, Nov. 5.—The medical examination closed last evening. The following passed: Doctors McKechnie, Wellington; McLeod, Donald; Cannon and Fraser, Victoria; Herald, Langley; Wilson, Ladners, Williams, Seattle.

A man had a narrow escape from drowning in the river late last night. He was rescued with great difficulty. He was watchman on the steamer Nanaimo and fell off the wharf while drunk.

Starvation in Mexico.

MONTEREY, Mex., Nov. 4.—Patria Mateos, the representative of Jesus Asehigo, governor of the State of Zacatecas, is here arranging for the importation of corn from the United States for the famine-stricken people of his state. In addition to the drouth, the prospect of crops in that part of the republic was utterly ruined by recent heavy frosts. There has been much feeling aroused among the citizens of the famine district over the action of the government officials in the City of Mexico assisting to raise several hundred thousand dollars for the relief of the Spanish flood sufferers while their own condition is unnoticed.

The International Railroad.

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., Nov. 4.—Ground was yesterday broken and work commenced on the inter-continental railroad, which will connect the United States with Mexico and Central America.

PASSENGERS.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver—S Stevenson, C J Roberts, P Kelly, O L Poudrier, H Weidman, Dr J C and Mrs Davie, J Wrigglesworth, R H Benedict, H C Kerr, W N Mears, Miss Raymore, J Marymont, Mrs Thomas, A Robertson, M Costello, Hy Von Bend, Col Adams, C S Eaton and wife, J Williams, J O Benwell and wife, A Moore, F A R Morton, W J Drysdale, W J Quick, J A Fisher, J G Woods, A G Ritchie, Capt H G Lewis, Mrs R G McPherson, N Marks, Sergt Redgrave, G B Wright, J J Crane—Ed Hingle, A E Hand and wife, G C Arrowsmith, W B Gage, Miss Graham, C H Arundale, Miss Anderson, H Rudge, Mrs Dempster, L Levy, Jas Kent, J N Jensen, D J Munn, A Shobe, Z Phillip, Jno Glavon, H T Ceperly and wife, Tom Teague, J C Steen, R C Henneson, T S McCantry and others.

Per Steamer Victorian from the Sound.—G Williams, T Wilson, J Yates, Miss Thornton, A Grohaan, W J Temple, W Bailey, Mrs Ross, Capt E J Rathbone, Jennie Forest, W J Cookman, D H Gayer, G P Jones.

CONSIGNEES.

Per stm'r Walla Walla from San Francisco—Albion Iron Works, A A Clayton, A E Starr, A Ohlson, A Phillips & Son, Braden & Stamford, Brown Bros, Boucherat & Co, B Levy, Brackman & Ker, Milling Co, Cowan & Wilson, C A Bossl, C Slapcenbeck, C W Rogers, D Spencer, D H Ross & Co, E B Marvin & Co, Ellis & Co, F T Child, G A McCulloch, H Saunders, H Clay, H A Lilly, I Bornstein, H Short, Hudson Bay Co, Jay & Co, J Sommer, J L Lorry, J Rollins, John Robertson, J A Clearihue, J H Todd and Son, J P Johnson & Co, John Barnsley & Co, Jas Fisher, Langley & Co, Lowe & A, M W Waitt & Co, May Ting Lung, M Cohn, M, R & T, Nicholls & Renouf, P T Johnston & Co, P McQuade & Son, R P Rithet & Co, R Baker & Son, R H Jamieson, S Leiser, The Ames H Co, Taylor Mill Co, Thos Shotbolt, T E Wood, Welch Rithet & Co, Weiler Bros, A W Wright, A Hinde & Bates, British Columbia Iron Works, B Wrede, British Columbia Cattle Co, D C Tisdale, Chas Nelson, C Anderson, F R Stewart, G R Fraser & Co, Gas Co, Hastings Mill Store, J C Douglas, J Canning, McMillan & Hamilton, McLennan & McFeeley, News Advertiser, Oppenheimer Bros, Phelp Bros, R V Winch, T Dunn & Co, T W Clark & Co, W L Davis & Co, W H Brewster, A M Dockyard Naval Storekeeper, A B Gray & Co.

Per Steamer Islander from Vancouver—Wm Thompson, J Meston, C P N Co, Langley & Co, G F & J Galt, Mrs Hall, Sinclair & Duncan, W S Hampson, Turner, Beeton & Co, Gilmore & McC, T Simpson & King, John Galavan, S L Keeley, Cunningham Bros, Weiler Bros, H Jamieson, Colbert & Warner, C Strouss & Co, Hudson Bay Co, J H Todd & Son, H A Lilly, J Piercy & Co, Mrs H Coats, H Saunders, British Columbia Cattle Co, E J Salmon, R Brown, G H Higginbottom, McLennan & McFeeley, J P Burgess, M W Waitt & Co, Love & Leiser, Hamilton Powder Co, J S Anderson, J Lemesurier, J Leahe, H Clay, C B Lockhart, Thos Earl, C R McDonald, I G Burns, Dominion Express Co.

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